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In response to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2006 in connection with the above-identified application, applicant submits the following:

The pending Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.